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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

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Dear Sir/Madam:

This paper is submitted in response to the Office Action mailed February 26, 2003.
Applicants elect claims 1-9, 18 and 19. Please cancel without prejudice the remaining claims.

The Examiner is invited to contact the undersigned attorney at 281-285-7325 with any
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Respectfully submitted,

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